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Renew Contract With Hatfield

Rainmaker Hatfield has been re-engaged by the United Agricultural Association of Medicine Hat. In consideration of the somewhat disappointing results of his operations this year he accepted \$5000 instead of \$8000. He explained his partial failure as due to his location at Chappie Lake. Under the new contract he is to choose his own site—which is expected to be 60 to 70 miles north-west of Medicine Hat. Three inches of rain will be allowed as due to natural precipitation during the months of May, June and July, 1922. Hatfield is to receive \$4000 for every inch over three inches and up to three inches, the maximum amount to be paid, \$12000.

Saskatchewan Crop Prospects

Crop prospects in Saskatchewan at the present time are by no means rosy, according to Hon. C. A. Dunning, provincial treasurer, who returned recently from a trip through the north-eastern section of the province, where crops were reported to be good. It is Mr. Dunning's opinion that the province will be fortunate to get even an average crop. Speaking to The Leader, Regina, Mr. Dunning said:

"I found nothing on the trip to indicate that the province will have anything better than an average crop. It is quite possible for rust and frost to reduce the yield to considerably below the average. Wherever in the province the wheat crop is heavy rust is present, and damage from rust is becoming increasingly evident."

Ball Team Win Second Money At Alask

The local ball team were visitors to Alask, on Friday, and were contestants in the baseball tournament there. Many fans accompanied the boys, although the day, in regard to weather conditions, was far from pleasant. In the first round, the locals were drawn against Sibbald. Trail occupied the mound and allowed one lone run. The Empire team, however, kept the Sibbald boys bell chasing, and notched 18 runs for the five innings.

The second game was with Marengo, whose sculp was brought home to the wigwam with a score of 5-0. Fuller hurled for Empire.

The final game was with Alask. All went well until about the fourth innings when Empire was away to a balloon chase. The game ended with the score reading 9-1 in favor of Alask. Bothwick occupied the mound for Empire.

The line-up of the team in final game was—Asten, 1st b; Venance, 2nd b; Leather, 3rd b; Borthwick, ss; McNamee, c; A. Sturgeon, ss; Best, 1st; Sparrow, 1st; R. Sturgeon, ct. In winning second money the local team was well satisfied with their trip. The first prize was \$125, and second, \$100.

To date the local team have played 18 ball games. They have won, 14 drawn, 1 lost, 3.

Jack Williams of Leduc, is matched to box Kid Moscovitz of Moose Jaw, at the Armory Sept Current on August 19.

Arrange Baseball Games; August 20th

The local ball season is near its close, but it is hard for our enthusiasts to let it die so early, and arrangements are being made for two more games which should please the fans. The teams are expected to be Mayfield vs. Empire and Bindloss vs. Lloyd George. The latter team has yet to be heard from concerning their game. The

date will be Saturday, August 20, and time is the latter part of the afternoon. The games are to be played on a bonafide basis. Proceeds will be used to help defray debt from the Sports Day held here on the 29th. There is every reason to believe the games will be well patronized. Competition between the teams is keen and close games should result.

UNION CHURCH

You are invited to attend church services next Sunday 11 a.m. Sunday School, 7:30 p.m. Regular evening worship. Everybody welcome.

Choir practice at the home of Mrs. H. H. Hall, on Friday, night at 8:00 p.m.

Contractor Frost is making repairs to the local school building, preparatory to the opening for the new term which commences September 1st.

Saskatchewan Shooting Season

Warman Municipality Ask for Close Season on Prairie Chickens for Five Years

The open season for game birds in Saskatchewan is the same as last year, from September 15 to December 31, for water fowl, and October 14 to 31 inclusive, for prairie chickens. Ducks are reported to be quite plentiful and it is also reported that prairie chickens are more plentiful this year, especially in the northern part of the province.

The provincial department of agriculture has been requested by one rural municipality to pass legislation prohibiting the killing of prairie chicken for at least five years on account of the large number of grasshoppers destroyed by this popular game bird.

The municipality in question is the rural municipality of Warman, No. 374, which has sent the following letter to the local crops branch of the provincial department of agriculture:

"I wish to bring to your attention following resolution which was passed at a recent meeting of the council members of this municipality:

"Moved by Councillor Serviss—We, the council of the rural municipality of Warman, No. 374, having reason to believe that prairie chicken destroy large numbers of grasshoppers each year and, on that account, are a very valuable asset to the province, hereby

recommend that legislation be introduced prohibiting the killing of prairie chicken in the province for a period of at least five years.

"The fact that prairie chicken destroy hoppers in large numbers was very well demonstrated here a short time ago. A farmer driving along the road with a horse and buggy ran over a chicken, and upon examination it was found that the bird's crop was filled with hoppers. This particular chicken had eaten so many that it could hardly walk.

"If you approve of the recommendation of the council it will be very much appreciated if you will bring this matter to the attention of the minister."—Ex.

Willie Sandercock, was badly burned about the face, Tuesday evening, when he accidentally set his clothing afire. In the excitement an alarm of "fire" was sent in by phone, and the local brigade was summoned to the Sandercock house.

Social Plains: Report of Crops

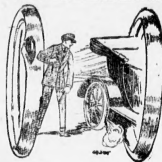
Earl Wagner and sister motored to Medicine Hat, last week.

Cutting is in full swing. Spring plowing is giving better crops than summer fallow. 90 p.c. of the crop will be tied. Oats are good but the acreage is small. Potatoes and garden stuff are doing well.

On Friday, August 28, at the Social Plains Schoolhouse at 4 p.m. there will be a baseball game, Empire vs. Bindloss. A chicken supper will be served, 5 to 7:30 p.m.—100 birds cooked various ways, 25 chicken pies, 50 cakes and 100 other pies and plenty of good things to eat. Tables will be set family style. At 8 p.m., an entertainment lasting 1 hour and thirty minutes, will be given. A big bonfire dance will follow entertainment; Empire orchestra will furnish the music. Refreshment booth on grounds.

Teaching Staff Engaged For The New Term

The teaching staff for the ensuing term at the local school will be as follows—J. G. Ferguson, principal; Eric Muncester, of Steeveyville, Alta., vice-principal; Miss Eva Noble; Miss U. Steen; Mrs. Smith.



REAL BARGAINS in Repaired Tires.

Only a few in Stock. Get yours now.

Supper, adults, 75c; children, over 7 years, 35c, entertainment free. The various committees extend a hearty invitation for all to attend.

The Empire Vulcanizing Works E. J. BOSWELL



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on the road just call us up and we will take care of your car. We will either send a man and materials from our service station or will tow your car here for prompt repairs.

Alberta Machine Shop

W. C. BOYD, Proprietor

Notice

Big Reduction in HARNESS

AND In SHOES

Come in and Get My Prices before Buying

G. W. MARTYN

Your Harvest Expenses

HAVE you sufficient ready money with which to meet the expense of harvesting your crop? If not you are cordially invited to discuss your position with our local Manager. Standard Service always affords practical and helpful accommodation.

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TOTAL ASSETS OVER NINETY MILLIONS
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We will give a STRAIGHT 25 P.C. on the Dollar DISCOUNT from our Regular Prices and the regular prices are considerably lower than those of a year ago.

	Regular Price	SALE PRICE
No. 6572 BRASS BED, size 4 1/2 ft.	\$45.00 less 25 %	\$33.75
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No. 304 BED, size 4 ft.	9.00	6.75
No. 302 " " size 3 1/2 ft.	6.50	4.87
BANNER SPRINGS (the kind with the 20 yr guarantee) size 3 1/2, 4 or 4 1/2 ft.	16.00	12.00
DUKE SPIRAL SPRINGS, size 3 1/2, 4 or 4 1/2 ft.	14.00	10.50
COMMON Ordinary Steel or Wood Frame Spring	9.00	6.75
Genuine All Wool MATTRESSES, 4 and 4 1/2 ft.	22.50	16.50
No. 3 HEALTH MATTRESSES, size 3 1/2, 4 or 4 1/2 ft.	13.00	9.75
No. 2 " " " " " "	15.00	11.25

Remember a DISCOUNT of 25 P.C. also applies to any FURNITURE that we have IN STOCK.



N. D. STOREY
EXTRA STEPS MEAN DOLLARS SAVED

Marvelous Results That Have Attended Experiments In The Selection Of Seed

An interesting series of botanical experiments has been conducted by Luther Burbank, who announces that he has proved that Indian corn originates in a wild grass called teosinte. This teosinte was surmised by botanists to be the wild ancestor of the corn which has been bred by man, being that it had been evolved from its wild state into maize by the Indians; but whereas the Indians took many centuries to do their selection, Burbank, working on scientific methods, has done the work in the short period of eighteen years. On his experimental farm in California he has growing both the perfected ears of Indian corn and the wild grass, "very little less in length than the average head of wheat" from which the corn was raised. A remarkable example of the potency of plant selection.

Burbank simply did in a few years the few obvious things which it took the savage mind centuries to perceive. He "cultivated" the teosinte and raised his successive crops from selected seed. The great principle of variation was a closed book to the Indians, but it is the principle upon which horticulturists and stock raisers have been working for many years, and this latest triumph of the California plant wizard's draws attention once more to the profound consequences which "selection" has had in life forms. By taking selected grains from the teosinte grass and using them for seed, Burbank was able to obtain a plant which bore a cob covered by grains of corn enclosed in pods. By taking grains of this "pod corn" which were bursting out of the pods, and using them as seed, he was able to obtain the podless corn on cobs familiar to every body. By selecting only the pods that were free of the husk, and thus eliminating the undesired, teosinte grass became Indian corn in eighteen years, yet who, looking at an ear of teosinte and an ear of Indian corn would even dream that the one was directly related to the other?

The beneficial results of selection are widely appreciated by farmers everywhere in so far as improving the staple varieties of grain are concerned. Wheat, oats and the other cereals are well known now to be grown from improved strains—the wheat of today is a better wheat than that of fifty years ago; and Burbank's experiments with the teosinte grass far beyond selection of improved varieties of a type, and the one from another; he has uncovered the operations of the subtle processes by which types themselves change into other types, and the significant thing of all in evolutionary development—Mendelian Free Press.

Marne Victory Won By Wireless

Station in Eiffel Tower Caught Messages From Germans.

General Perle has been awarded 100,000 francs by the French government for the development of a wireless station in Eiffel Tower. The station permitted the French to win the Marne victory in September, 1914, by copying messages sent through field quarters by the German army, streaming into Belgium, France, Britain and the war department.

Eiffel Tower "listened in" on General von Marwitz' communications during the disposition of German infantry, cavalry, artillery, amount of ammunition available, and stating soldiers were starving and horses lacked shoes. Perle notified General Gallieni, resulting in the tactical army against von Kluck's right flank.

Smart of Him.
A certain surgeon, who was very young and rather shy, was invited to dinner by a lady who was at least 50, but frivolous enough for 20. At dinner she asked the young surgeon to carve a fowl, and, not being done so before, he failed lamentably. Instead of trying to cover his confusion, the hostess called attention to it pointedly by looking down the table and saying loudly—
"Well, you may be a very clever surgeon, but if I am not mistaken, I should trust come to you to do it."

"No, madam," he replied politely, "but then, you see, you are not a chicken."

Laughed It Off.
Are you worried in a fight?
Are you cheated of your rights?
Laugh it off.

Don't make tragedy of trifles,
Don't shoot butterflies with rifles—
Laugh it off.

W. N. X. C. 1378

Why Voyages Of Discovery Pay

Increase Store of Knowledge and Make World Richer.

The announcement that Sir Ernest Shackleton will soon start on another voyage of discovery raises the old question, "What is the use of such voyages?" Judged by the standard of dollars and cents, the balance would seem to tip against such adventures. The geographers will add to their store of knowledge, oceanographers who study tides and currents will, no doubt, be able to test and confirm some of their theories, the geologists the naturalists and the meteorologist will add something new to the world store of lore. Directly, the expedition will not put a dollar into anyone's pocket and it will take a good many dollars out of the pockets of others. The men who accompany Shackleton will not be paid high salaries, they will make the journey largely for the love of adventure and the honor which the accomplishment of deeds of high daring, involving physical suffering, and the risk of death always bring.

Judged by the gold standard, the expedition may perhaps be voted a sheer waste of time and money. Gauged by the amount by which our store of knowledge will be increased, the returns may be out of all proportion to the amount expended. Yet there are other standards and the discovery of the gold standard, the finding of the North and South Poles, the climbing of hitherto inaccessible peaks, and the penetration of jungles and deserts that have hitherto defied human desire is a triumph for the whole of mankind, and especially for the geographers. The expedition is a triumph for the whole of mankind, and especially for the geographers. The expedition is a triumph for the whole of mankind, and especially for the geographers.

The world would be poorer today if Scott had not gone on his last great voyage; for the most stirring epic in romantic adventure would never have been written.

Increase In Dairy Products

New In Operation Throughout the Dominion 3,165 Dairy Factories.

An increase of \$9,000,000 in dairy products for 1920 over those for the previous year is reported by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. Creameries in 1920 were an output of 110,000,399 pounds showed an increase of 6,192,692 pounds over 1919, with an average price secured of 36½ cents per pound as against 34 cents. These made in factories during 1920 aggregated 49,352,108 pounds. There were 3,165 dairy factories in operation throughout the Dominion 3,165 dairy factories, with a population of 832,767,317 with 11,211 employees and a total paid in wages of \$87,766,676.

Bumper Crops.

Crops in Southwestern Saskatchewan are the best in twenty years, says E. B. Johnson, of Marysville, Saskatchewan—one of the leading farmers and business men of that part. He declared that they surpassed the crops of 1915, and to say that they are simply magnificent does not give an appreciable idea of their appearance," he stated. Wheat is big in the head, while it is nothing unusual to see nine heads on a stalk, which has seldom been seen in previous years. Mr. Johnson reported.

She Didn't Know Everything.

"Hobby, your mother tells me you are a very bright boy and she expects you to be a great man," said Mr. Blossom as he sat in the parlor waiting for Bobby's sister. "Ma" never does "spect right," she doesn't know "she's talking about. She told dad she 'spected you and my sister would be married free spring, and that was more than a year ago!"—Houston Post.

Grain To Old Countries.

Grain shipments this season via the port of Montreal have so far been almost double those of last year. Over 100,000,000 bushels have gone abroad to Britain, Italy and Holland. Indications point to Montreal doing an enormous business in old and new crop right up to the close of navigation.

A town cannot grow without business. By helping your local dealer you assist the community.

Canadian Cattle Healthiest In World

Dominion's Envious Reputation Result of Stringent Vigilance.

Efforts of the Dominion department of agriculture to obtain a clean bill of health for Canadian livestock have been uniformly successful. It is asserted by officials of the department, and Canada is acknowledged all over the world, even by those persons in Great Britain and Ireland who favor the retention of the present embargo against Canadian store cattle, to be the healthiest of all countries for livestock. This enviable reputation is the result of years of patient effort and stringency of vigilance.

No animal, alive or dead, and no product made from the carcass of an animal, may be shipped out of the Dominion without a certificate of the health of animals branch of the department of agriculture. These certificates, if it is stated, have to be shown and verified both at points of departure and arrival. Canned goods, such as meats, fruit, vegetables, evaporated fruits, etc., are all subject to the same rigid inspection. Imported animals and foods have to run the gamut in the same way. Not only do animals themselves must be free from taint, but also the factories, warehouses and stores from which they come. The cars, boats and other vehicles that carry them must be clean and must pass inspection.

California has adopted Canada's standards for canned foods, and other countries have also adopted Canadian methods of inspection, certificates of health, of containers and of labelling.

Hail Storms

Connection Between Hail Storms and Thunderstorms is Rapidly Shifting Degree of Temperature.

The starting point of a hail storm is a layer of air laden with water vapor. This, passes rapidly through varying degrees of temperature, which freeze the particles of water and then melt them and re-freeze them, thus adding other particles as the journey continues. Hail storms, in falling, are sometimes carried below the central part of the storm which gave birth to them, through successive layers of rain or snow, which accounts for the fact that the resultant storm is formed of a number of distinct coatings, like the skins of an onion. It frequently happens that considerable quantities of this frozen vapor is whirled by the action of the storm into the centre of the tornado. The connection between hail storms and thunderstorms is because of the rapidly shifting degrees of temperature which account for the latter—fact which also explains why hail storms occur usually in the spring or summer, when the majority of thunderstorms take place.

Sign of Trouble.
"Somebody is ringing the front door bell," said a collector or a peddler. "What makes you think so?" "If it was anyone I know or want to see he wouldn't ring the bell; he'd just sit out in his car and hunk his horns."

Died At Advanced Age.

The death took place on the 4th of July, of Mr. Peter McLeod, of Greenwood Place, Winnipeg, at the great age of 101 years. He was born in Inverness, Scotland, and came to Canada over 75 years ago.

An unique industry in France is the renting of wedding outfits. Not infrequently the clothes of all the participants in a wedding are hired for the occasion.



Darling in N. Y. Tribune

WESTERN EDITORS

World's Wheat Acreage Is Slightly Lower

Crop Conditions in Canada Are Reported to be Better.

Estimates of the amount of wheat sown in 17 countries for which statistics are available show an acreage of 151,000,000 acres this year against 153,000,000 last year, according to a summary of foreign crop prospects made public by the U.S. department of agriculture. The estimates were based upon reports from Belgium, Bulgaria, Poland, Rumania, Czechoslovakia, Algeria, Morocco, Spain, France, England, Italy, Luxembourg, Norway, Tunis, Canada, India and the United States. Comprehensive estimates of the areas for 1921 harvest in this hemisphere are not available, but report said. Wheat in Canada shows a condition of 102 against 98 at a corresponding date last year; on oats, 100 against 93; barley, 99 against 98; rye, 101 against 96; peas, 98 against 98; mixed grains, 99 against 101; hay and clover, 97 against 92; alfalfa, 101 against 94; and pasture, 100 against 94.

Crops in France are suffering from lack of rain, the report said. The second crop of hay is problematical in that country and the supply of winter forage is seriously affected. Climatic conditions in Germany have been favorable for growing crops. The weather in Argentina, the country is sufficient to last until the new crops are harvested. Showers and light rains have improved conditions in the United Kingdom, but the quantity of rain was not nearly what was needed. In the southern hemisphere, crop conditions have been reported favorable. Reports from Argentina indicate the crops at present are badly in need of rain.

Early Days In The Hudson's Bay Service

By O.G. MAS-ES (Little Clerk).

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Lucky, though six miles in width, was crossed in a few minutes. Then on we went, tearing for the head of Grand Rapids itself where the upper part was beginning to show. I could recognize the tall form of my friend and mentor, Alex. Matheson, anxiously peering at the shore and stating at our boat which was coming along at a tremendous speed, favored both by wind and current. We was at that time in charge of all boat transport. Antelie held her well and we kept full sail up to the last minute, then dropped the yard and ran the bow of the old boat a foot into the bank. Poor Matheson was shaking his head and saying, "Ah, Lord B, this nickname for me, I was sure it was you, no one else would be reckless enough to run those rapids under full sail!"

Glad I was to land my party, and I expected to see the Grand Rapids in the memory of Mrs. Missionary and her little girls. Fortunately the Sir. Colwell was not expected until next day so we had plenty of time to recover from the effects of our journey. For the information of modern readers, the Hudson's Bay Company is situated at the mouth of the Saskatchewan River where it enters Lake Winnipeg. There is a continuous rapid for over three miles, in which there are three drops over rocky ledges. The rapids can be run easily by experienced hands, and accidents can happen just as easily when the passage is undertaken by tenderfeet. The Hudson's Bay Company has two boats with a more tiller, and since the rapids by the help of many men and the nigger engines on the boats. These were the Nor-West and the Colborne. The Colborne was the largest boat, but rather too heavy for the river. A steel steamer called the Lily was used at a fairly regular interval of the South Branch, but proved a failure. She was modelled on the plan of the African and Indian river boats, but did not work out on western rivers.

A steel trawler was built by the S.C. across the Portage. The male power was used to transport the freight from the lower warehouse to the large establishment at the head of the rapids. This still remains, but I believe is no longer used.

Myself and passengers all went aboard the Colborne next day, again after a short stay at the medical examination, was sent to the asylum for a few months. After seven years of confinement, I was released in the year's fortnight, and accompanied the valuable cargo of furs as far as St. Paul, these having come in by our boat. I then went on to the Red River by steamer, thence by train to St. Paul. Taking a receipt for the furs which I had taken care to take care of from Duluth and thence by water through the great lakes, down the rapids of the St. Lawrence out to the Gulf. I was the only one who was living at that time.

Canada's Loss in Minor Wars

Cost Was Comparatively Small and Few Lives Lost.

A question was recently submitted to the Public Archives of Canada asking for information as to the cost of the Fenian Raid and War of 1812 and the number of lives sacrificed. The inquiry produced the following reply which is without value. I beg to say that it has been impossible to find the cost of the war of 1812-25 nor the number of lives lost.

As to the Fenian Raids of 1866 and 1870, no amount was ever named by the Canadian Government in its correspondence with the House of Commons. The nearest approach to a figure would be the amount voted by the Canadian Assembly and the House of Commons in 1870, \$900,000. It is doubtful whether the sum was all spent. Ten lives were lost.

The Red River expedition of 1870 cost the country \$20,570 besides pensions. The North West Rebellion of 1885 cost the country \$1,000,000. The cost of the Fenian Raid and War of 1812 and the number of lives sacrificed. The inquiry produced the following reply which is without value. I beg to say that it has been impossible to find the cost of the war of 1812-25 nor the number of lives lost.

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RECOMMEND FALL RYE

The investigating committee brought together by the Western Canada Colonization association to inquire into the drought conditions in southern Alberta and southwestern Saskatchewan have been in session in Calgary, and reported their findings.

The committee were unanimous in recommending that fall rye be sown in a large area extending over southern Alberta and southwestern Saskatchewan, and expressed the opinion that it would be a partial solution of the southern drought problem. They also unanimously recommended that a commission of inquiry should be immediately appointed by the Alberta government to make an exhaustive inquiry into the conditions prevailing in southern Alberta.

Achieves Excellent Results Growing Corn

E. A. Tucker, of Social Plains, has twelve acres of land planted to corn, which is described as an excellent crop. An estimate placed on this crop is that it will yield near to 100 tons of fodder. It is Mr. Tucker's intention to build a silo and use crop as ensilage.

In view of the uncertainty of grain farming Mr. Tucker's efforts should be of interest to many of our farmers. Giving an estimate (which we believe high) of 4 tons of ensilage to a row for winter feeding, the returns from the twelve acres will take care of twenty-five dairy cows during the winter months.

Provincial Crop Report

General rain has visited most sections of the province during the past few days. A number of districts report from half an inch to three-quarters of an inch. Most of the districts in the southern part of the province have benefited by a plentiful supply. This rain was too late to be of any great assistance to the general crop throughout the southern part of the province. It will, how-

ever, very materially assist in the filling of the oat and barley crops and later sown wheat.

Practically all sections of the province south of Edmonton have suffered from a shortage of grain during the whole season. Notwithstanding this, the big central portion of the province will reap a fair crop. The recent rain has arrived in time to help not only the oats and barley in the central area but will also materially improve the wheat crop except some of the early sown and early maturing varieties.

The whole southern and south-eastern areas will have a light, short crop. In these districts, however, there are certain sections which have been visited by frequent local showers and as a result good crops will be harvested in these areas. This particularly is the case in two or three localities one of which is located near the southern boundary of the province.

North and east of Edmonton and in the Grande Prairie and Peace River districts the reports are especially good. There has been plenty of rain and the season throughout has been particularly favorable. As far as can be determined at the present time the prospects are that the crop will be heavy all through the north.

One good feature of the situation throughout the south is that the rye crop has withstood the drought well. Rye is now out and will make a good general yield.

Wheat and barley cutting has commenced in several parts of the southern and eastern sections of the province, cutting will not be general, however, for some little time yet though indications are that cutting will be earlier than usual. This will depend to some considerable extent on the weather conditions during the next two weeks.

He Was Just Going To

He was just going to help a neighbor when he died. He was just going to pay a note when it went to protest. He meant to insure his house but it burned before he got around to it.

He was just going to reduce his debt when his creditors "shut down" on him. He was just going to stop drinking and dissipating when his health became wrecked.

He was just going to introduce a better system into his business

when it went to smash. He was just going to quit workaholic and take a vacation when nervous prostration came.

He was just going to provide proper protection for his wife and family when his fortune was swept away.

He was just going to send out some good advertising when he found his competitor had got there first and secured the orders.

R. M. Mantario

Minutes of meeting of July 23, 1921, Orange Hall. Present: Heave Ardel and a full council.

COURT OF REVISION

No. 1. \$5, 34, 35, 37, 3; disallowed.
No. 2. NE 20, 23, 27, 3; sustained, reduce to 1800 and raise NE 28, SE 23, 27, 27 to 1900 each.
No. 3. SE 19, SW 21, SW 28, 23, 27, 3; disallowed.
No. 4. NE 19, 23, 27, 3; disallowed.
No. 5. NW 10, 23, 27, 3; sustained, reduce to 1800.
No. 6. E 1/2 23, 28, 29, 3; disallowed.
No. 6a. SE 24, 25, 29, 3; sustained, reduce to 1800.
No. 7a. NE 26, 29, 29, 3; sustained, reduce to 1800.

No. 8. SE and SW, 25, 28, 29, 3; Adjusted to 2220 on each quarter.
No. 9. E 1/2 26, 28, 3; sustained, reduce to 1800 each quarter.
No. 7. E 1/2 24, 28, 3; disallowed.
No. 8. S 1/2 26, 24, 29, 3; refer to S.S.B.
No. 9. S 1/2 1, 27, 28, 3; disallowed.
No. 10. NE 20, 26, 28, 3; disallowed.
No. 11. NW 25, 23, 29; disallowed.
No. 12. NE 30, 25, 29 and SW 19, 23, 29; disallowed.
No. 14. S 1/2 24, 26, 29, 3; disallowed.
No. 15. W 1/2 27, 26, 29, 3; disallowed.
No. 16. S 1/2 36, 26, 29, 3; sustained reduce to 1800.
No. 17. E 1/2 24, 23, 29 and E 1/2 24, 23, 29, NW and E 1/2 30, SW 31, 23, 28, 3; disallowed.
The Court of Revision was declared closed by the Reave at 2 p.m.

Reduction in Freight Rates Promised

That the board of railway commissions of Canada will in the near future take steps to reduce the freight rates on Canadian railways was the announcement contained in a letter received by the Calgary board of trade recently from Hon. F. B. Carvell, the chief commissioner. The Montreal board of trade recently addressed a resolution to the railway commission asking a reduction on railway freight rates commensurate with the 12 per cent. cut in wages now in effect.

Medicine Hat has resigned the "Rainmaker" for next year. The Hoosier poet gives rein to his thoughts: The life that I've lived, I would not recommend; I'm unwilling to borrow For I've nothing to lend. I once loved a maiden

But that came to an end, For the dear little dame, Was only a friend. And now I am old Yet I work like the devil, My boots are worn out, And run down at the heel. And if Hatfield don't hurry, It may soon come to pass; That your ragged old post Will have to eat grass.

Camping in Comfort

There is accommodation in each Camp for fifty people and the locations are ideal for anyone wishing to enjoy a quiet holiday in the great outdoors where niking, riding, fishing, boating etc., can be indulged in to the heart's desire.

All the comforts of camping with none of the drawbacks of having to prepare meals, etc., can be enjoyed during a visit to one of the Canadian Pacific camps located on Lake Wapiti (Hector station near Lake Louise) or Lake Windermere B.C.

There appears to be some misapprehension as to these camps, for they do not consist of tents, but of log or rustic cabins for sleeping quarters, with a central Club house containing combination dining and living room and necessary kitchen facilities.

A Western evangelist makes a practice of punning Bible quotations and religious mottoes on rocks and fences along public highways. On one big flat rock he painted these words:

"What Will You Do When You Die?"

An advertising gazabo came along and painted underneath that question: "Use Delta Oil. Good for Burns."

NOTICE

To: John T. Cook, formerly of Bindles, Post Office, Alberta.

TAKE NOTICE that an action No. 2044 D.C. has been commenced against you in the District Court of Medicine Hat by William E. Brodie, Merchant, Empress, Alberta to recover the sum of \$14.00, with interest, for goods and merchandise sold and delivered to you. AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that you may deliver a statement of defence on or before August 12th, 1921, and in default of your so doing the Plaintiff may enter judgment in the said action without further notice to you. DATED at MEDICINE HAT, Alberta, this 16th day of July, A.D., 1921.

S. A. Wallace, Clerk of the Court.



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ESTATED

Black Gelding, V-shaped strip in face and white strip on upper lip, 4 years old weight 1450 lbs., heavy build. Reward for information leading to recovery.—H. Halderson, Alameda, Sask.

ESTATED TO BE PREMISES

Brown Gelding, named "Cap," aged white spots on forehead, 3 white feet, right front foot brown, branded on right shoulder [U] also branded on right side. Last known owner, Norman Staples.—Apply J. F. Rivers, Empress, Alberta.

ESTAT

One black stallion, 3 years old, weight 1100 lbs., branded on left jaw. One dark grey mare, weight 800 lbs., four years old, with colts, no visible brand. One dark grey filly, weight 1100 lbs., 3 years old, branded on left jaw. One brown mare, weight 1400 lbs., 11 years old, branded right thigh and left thigh. One dark grey filly, one year old, no visible brand.—John H. Gordon, Buffalo, P.O., Alta.

ESTATED

to my premises, E 1/2 of 27, 21, 6, w 4; Bay Mare, 11 lbs. last, small strip in face. About 7 years old, branded G-O or left thigh.—John H. Gordon, Buffalo, P.O., Alta.

ESTATED

4 yr. old Bay Gelding, E right thigh, 3 yr. old Strawberry Roan Gelding, E right thigh, 1100 lbs., 7 yr. old Friesian, white stripes in face, white hind feet, 1600 lbs.—W. S. Strayer, Alameda.

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Sir Joynton Smith Returns to England After Fifty Years' Absence.

Fifty years ago a young London boy, a true Cockney, set out for Australia as cabin boy on the P. and O. liner "Old Polka" to seek fame and fortune in a new land.

That same Cockney boy, now Sir Joynton Smith, has just returned to London. He was a de luxe saloon passenger in a liner owned by the company he served as cabin boy, and, on his return to London proceeded to a suite of rooms reserved for him at the Savoy Hotel.

"His stories of London of fifty years ago, told to a Daily Mail reporter, with his impressions of London of today, are as fascinating as the romance of his own successful and prosperous career."

While his cabin boy days Sir Joynton Smith has become:

"Controller of a large number of hotels in New South Wales."

"Owner of a newspaper in Sydney."

"Owner of a racecourse in Sydney."

"Owner of an electric lighting plant which provides the lighting for the Blue Mountain tunnels."

"Major of Sydney (during the war)."

"A member of the New South Wales Legislative Council."

"And the ambition of his family was to make him a successful farmer."

"It is great to be back," he said. "I have always claimed that England is the place for dreams and Australia the land where dreams come true. As a youth I always wanted to expand and I found no room for expansion in the United Kingdom. But after twenty years it is good indeed to be back again. I found the place in Bishops Cleeve where my childhood home was."

"From Hackney Road I used to walk to work each day a boy at Waterloo, the printers, and later at Meads, Chislehampton. When I was eight to eight and a half, my salary was 2s. 6d. a week. If you were a minute later in the morning you were a minute later in the afternoon and a proportionate amount of money docked from your salary."

"But my father in his young days was even harder. He was a brass founder and his hours were from 6 a.m. to 8 p.m., and he had to walk about five miles to his work."

"I found much room for reminiscence in Victoria Park, Hackney. It was here I had a boyish adventure which I regret to say led to a confrontation against me at Bow Street. By the way, I must go and have a look at Bow Street."

"Within 20 minutes' walk of the G.P.O. in Sydney you will find a racecourse called Victoria Park, which belongs to me and which I named after the park of my youthful adventures."

"As a boy I will remember the crowds which wait to see the hanged man executed. I saw a man, Charles Chaplin one night at 8 o'clock, when we got within sight of the gallows. There was a crowd of 50,000 people waiting for a hanging and the following morning. This beats all other records. Boys with white sheets were running about the place, shouting words and confession—one penny."

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Where Whistling Is Taboo

Arabs and Iceland Will Not Tolerate This Practice.

Will all the boys who whistle on their office floors read this with care? Of the many superstitions in connection with whistling, none is better known than that which declares in the colliery districts, where whistling in the mines is regarded with great disfavor, that whistling in the mines, if whistling is heard, the miners will leave the pit rather than float what they consider to be a sure portent of trouble.

The Arabs have a saying that after whistling it takes a man forty days to cleanse his mouth. The whistling Arab is, in fact, a rarity. Iceland is another country where whistling is taboo.

Native of Cornwall will not tolerate whistling in many places, particularly in caverns and tin mines. The Cornish fishermen will not account, either a "whistling" woman, aboard his ship. The superstition concerning "a whistling woman and a crowing hen" is nowhere regarded with greater respect than in Cornwall and Devon.

Europe Still Militaristic

Chief Military Powers Are France and Poland.

"Those who hoped that, after the terrible experiences of the great war, Europe would no longer indulge her militaristic propensities must be sadly disappointed by the figures divulged by Sir L. Worthington Evans, the secretary of state for war, in the British House of Commons the other day."

France is the present strength of continental armies, exclusive of Russia, from which it will be seen that France and Poland are now the two chief military powers in Europe.

Austria, 300,000; Belgium, 105,000; Bulgaria, 35,000; Czechoslovakia, 147,000; Denmark, 15,000; France, 809,652; Germany, 100,000; Greece, 250,000; Hungary, 35,000; Italy, 300,000; Netherlands, 25,000; Norway, 15,000; Poland, 600,000; Portugal, 300,000; Rumania, 160,000; Spain, 100,000; Sweden, 56,000; Switzerland, 190,000; Serbia-Croatia, 200,000.

New Head For Experimental Farm

W. R. Leslie Is Now Superintendent Of Dominion Farm at Morden.

W. R. Leslie, a graduate of Manitoba Agricultural College, has been appointed superintendent of the Dominion experimental farm at Morden. He has until now been in charge of the Ontario Provincial Government station at Port Williams. Morden is an important point as very extensive work in horticultural research work is being carried on there.

Mr. Leslie will replace E. M. Straight, who has been in charge of the Morden farm since its inception. Mr. Straight is now superintendent of the Dominion farm at Sydney, Vancouver, B.C. The third change in the coming of Lionel Stevenson, now present in charge of the Sydney Experimental Farm to Ottawa. Mr. Stevenson will act as secretary and assistant to Dr. T. Leslie, minister of agriculture.

Ortential Farmers in B.C.

Get Wonderful Results With Most Primitive Equipment.

Do the people of this province realize that a "white British Columbia" may be procured by irrigation quicker than by legislation? Whether they do or not the suggestion is by no means as fantastic as it may appear at first glance. It is all very well to point to the somewhat startling statistics which indicate the amount of land irrigated in the Orient.

Under present conditions it can scarcely be otherwise. Those who demand the introduction of legislation to irrigate the yellow man would probably more were they to take the trouble of contrasting the conditions under which he tills the soil, with the results he produces by utilizing the most primitive farming devices, with the results of the farmer who, by the average agriculturalist would demand before he would be prepared to embark upon such a task—Victoria Times.

Option On Paraguay Lands.

An option from the Government of Paraguay on 100,000 acres of land in that country has been obtained by Menominee who wish to emigrate from Canada to the United States, according to information received from Fred Engen, a Minnesotan, acting as a representative of the sect. It is also reported that the Paraguayan Government passed a law exempting sons of the Menominees from military service.

Vancouver Island's Famous Gardens



A View of Part of the Famous Bouchard Gardens 12 Miles From Victoria, B.C.

Some few years ago at the head of above the banks in the woods themselves, a stream was diverted to flow down over the side of the thirty day in a clean, bright fall that splashed into the lake. A huge pinnacle of rock that stood in the centre of the barren area was hanked with rich soil, while the same soil was placed in all of its holes and crannies. Rock stairways were built from the rim of the excavation down into the place itself, a hundred yards, and by paths and stretches of lawn were mapped out, and great beds made. Rustic bridges were built across the lake, and the stream itself, and then the seeding and planting began. Scores of men were employed in the first stages of the work, and expert landscape gardeners, for not only was the excavation to be made into a great sunken garden, but the ground above, which had been cleared, was to be laid out in lawns, a rose-garden, a tea-garden, and a combination of Japanese and fairy garden. More little streams from the woods were moved into this upper garden and nourished from underground pipes to send up rainbow fountains here and there. Avenues of laurels and other ornamental trees were planted and a thousand feet of more of perogolia built. A large tea-house and a half a score of other little summer houses, all of the most artistically rustic design, were scattered over the garden, and every sort of new and every flower and shrub that grows found its home there. The pergolas were hung with climbing roses, the tea-house graced in climatic and wistaria, and each little summer-house had its own individual garnish of colour.

This upper garden is the first one to be traversed by the visitor, and having seen all its loveliness, the

curious charms of the Japanese garden, with their dwarf trees and shrubs, their iris-crowned banks, their flower-hung pagodas, the elves, the dragons, the tiny fairy forests of elfland, and the bewitching beauty of the rose-garden, one's senses seem almost satiated, until by a secret path one emerges suddenly upon the rim of the sunken garden. Then, indeed, one marvels at one's own senseless resources, for one's whole being is stirred to unmitigated ecstasy at what lies before one. Color!—Every colour and tint from the glowing gorgeousness of the poppy, rhododendron, and larkspur to palest pastel shades of old-fashioned lavender, forget-me-nots and sweet peas are there! Parfums!—Lilies, lilies-of-the-valley, wallflowers, honeysuckle and every known bloom, except those which thrive only in tropical climates, lend their quota to the splendid array which flares on the placid air! Mustel! Surely the birds must think they have reached their heaven, for never are their songs sweeter than here. Fountains send their rainbow sprays among the flowers, waterfalls tinkle down the cliffside where ferns and vines of every hue riot in gay profusion, and the great giant redwood stands like a giant sentry on the road. Standing unobtruded it is to attest the great fact that people can be neighbors and friends.

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It takes about three weeks to cure rashes.

New Aviation Possibilities

Man-Power Flying Machines Are Latest in Aeronautics Marvel.

Man-power flying machines, which can be stored in the back street garages, and used by the owner to skip over the house tops into the next street, are a possibility within the next few years, according to mechanical experts closely in touch with aviation development.

The report published by Gabriel Poulain, a Frenchman flying at Longchamps racecourse on his self-propelled bicycle aeroplanes, indicates what is being done across the Channel, and even more important experiments in the art of human flying are being carried out in England.

British inventors believe that success will come either with "Boppers," actual wings manipulated by the arms, or by Helicopter screws, attached above the shoulders of the flier and turned through a gear shaft by the hands or feet. Actual tests of these machines have been made at Rochester, Kent, and near Luton. One man claimed to have lifted himself with arm wings.

"There is no doubt that in the future we shall be able to slide off the top of a house and fly by our own efforts," said Mr. C. G. Grey, editor of the "Aeroplane," to a Daily Express representative a few days ago. "How soon that will come, depends on the improvement of wing design. Given an efficient machine, there is no reason why a man should not be able to fly by human power until he gets tired."

"The Frenchman Poulain does not really fly. He races along on his winged bicycle until he has attained his greatest possible speed and then jumps."

Living In Harmony

New York Tribune Says Disarmament Delegates Should See the Peace

Commenting on the Canadian attitude toward disarmament, the New York Tribune says:

"The Canadian reception of President Harding's disarmament proposals there is special warmth, and well may there be. For more than one hundred years the consequence of what Samuel Hill well calls the 'sacred faith of a scrap of paper' there has been disarmament on the Great Lakes and along all the Canadian-United States border. Disarmament is as Canadian and American as milk, can be made to work."

"Where the Pacific highway which is to extend from California's southern extremity to Alaska, passes the Canadian frontier into British Columbia a peace portal is being built to span the road. Standing unobtruded it is to attest the great fact that people can be neighbors and friends."

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Laundry Girl Finds Jewels

Received Reward For Returning Gems Worth \$10,000.

Good Diogenes but return to earth in quest of an honest woman instead of an honest man, he would be rewarded. Anna Hughes, 17 years old, who works in a laundry, found \$10,000 in jewels tied up in a handkerchief. Although nobody knew of her discovery, she promptly turned the jewels over to the police, who returned them to her owner.

Miss Hughes received a substantial reward, which she accepted "ungratefully," and a special vacation with double pay was awarded her by her employers.

The clergyman's name was Smith and he had recently been honored with the degree of D.D. The doctor of the village was also named Smith. A stranger came one day to the place and asked a native the way to Dr. Smith's house. "Which Dr. Smith do you mean?" inquired the village, "him that preaches or him that practices?"

China Has 5000 Cotton Looms.

The first cotton mill in China is scarcely more than twenty years old, yet the nation has today 1,250,000 handlooms. The average annual production of yarn and 60,000,000 yards of cloth.

In Paris the taxi-drivers are forbidden to smoke while on duty.

New Type Of Plane

This New Italian 'Plane Is Able to Manoeuvre Along in Flight.

An airplane capable of landing without the need of a large aviation field, able to rise without a long run beforehand, able to travel more than 300 miles an hour and, if necessary, to maneuver along at but a few miles an hour, is announced as the invention of an Italian engineer, Eginardo Bertucci, of Rome.

The inventor claims that he already tried out the machine on a small scale and regards his future experiments as the success of the invention. The new machine is primarily intended as an aerial chaser, and it is to be armed with a machine gun. It is a monoplane.

Wall Paper As A Curiosity.

A collector of curiosities has offered to lease a room for \$200 if she will allow him to take the paper off the walls in her parlor. The room was papered more than 100 years ago.

The burglar to Mrs. Jones—If you venture to say another word, madam, I'll shoot!"

Police (exasperated)—"I say, your good man, how much will you take to stay here for a week?"

Artisan wells take their name from Artium, the Latin for Art, province in Northern France where this system of boring for water was first practiced.

Do Not Use Slang

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Grain Prices

AT EMPRESS, Thursday, Aug. 11

Wheat No 1. Nor. 1.35	Track Wheat
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Barley	Rye90

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Russell Haynes, August 4, a son.

Miss Cora Brown, is visiting at the home of Mrs. C. W. Hayes.

Manager McGill, of the Empress Hotel, left on a trip by auto to Medicine Hat, the first of the week.

Mr. Thompson, cousin to Mrs. R. M. Henderson, was a visitor in town last week.

Alberta shooting season for ducks opens September 1st. The season for chickens, opens October 15 and closes October 31.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Simpson and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Fountain and family, made a trip to Medicine Hat the first of the week.

Miss Helen Shepherd, arrived home on Sunday, for a holiday visit with her parents.

Bob Cochran, who was a visitor in town last week, returned on Friday to Dismore, Sask.

Miss Mahan, who has been acting as stenographer in the law office of Strain D. Sutherland, left on Friday last for her home at Rosetown, Sask.

There have been many from Empress visit the Camp of the Boy Scouts which is located just south of town. Apparently the boys are having the time of their lives camping.

The Union Bank branch at Leader, Sask., have moved into the premises, formerly occupied by the Merchants Bank there. The latter bank are closing out their branch office.

J. McNeill, has acquired the residence at present occupied by Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gregg. We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Gregg will soon be leaving our town.

Jack Davidson left Sunday night for Melfort, Sask., via Assoka, where he will spend the remainder of his summer holidays. Jack, who has left here for good, has taken part in most of the young peoples social events and will be greatly missed by them all.

That the ultimate food crop returns will be better than was generally anticipated a week or two ago, is the prevalent opinion. Cutting is general, but there are many fields of late grain not yet ripe for the binder.

ATLEE

Wednesday, August 3—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Foster, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Jorgeson, this week.

Jack Delton's team indulged in a lively runaway, Thursday. They started in front of the Prairie Lumber Yard and finished in front of the blacksmith shop on First Street West end at the corner of High School Avenue. They also knocked some of the harness and Jack's scup.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster took Mr. and Mrs. A. Hagen and Mr. J. Jorgeson and family over to Jenner, to the Chautauqua, and heard Judge Alden, from Miss The Judge is a very able orator and all were pleased.

Sunday, August 7—The Atlee school boys went down to Chilmark, across the Red Deer, to play the Chilmark juniors. Well, they arrived there after tipping the hay rack over two or three times. Boys are boys and they would neither

stand or sit still. When sitting down as a rule they sat on the edge of a buffalo berry bush, which was placed there by some mischievous companion, just to see how a nimble and agile a boy could be. Well the Chilmark boys had a bunch that they would be skinned so they were afraid to put in an appearance. So a number of the boys of the neighborhood put on mitts and with Leland Pound and Jack Emmett for battery, for our kids, gave the boys a game. The kids say they didn't mind being disappointed, but they do not want Jack Emmett to drive them home again. Every time one of them sat down on a thorn Jack would snap the horses with the lines and the horses would jump, jerking the wagon, sinking the thorns in deeper than ever. Altogether, it was an enjoyable day, and Mr. Lawler said that they must have all been sitting on thorns, the way the boys were yelling when they came by his place.

Miss Gladys Wilkins, of Calgary, who has been visiting her sister at Chilmark, during the past month returned home today. She says she enjoys swimming in the Red Deer immensely.

The Atlee basket-ball girls journeyed over to Jenner today to give the Jenner girls another lesson in basket ball. The Jenner girls seem quite apt students but it is taking them much time to learn how to pocket the ball. Most of the time they bank their ball clear over the cushion or failing this they get the foot or knees hooked on the ball and tumble over it. Getting their eyes full of dust and allowing Atlee to score.

VANDINE

Mrs. Lottie Long, a former resident of this vicinity, who has been making her home in the States for the past four years returned for a brief stay. Driving all the way from S. Dak. in a Prairie Schooner. The trip occupied about two months. She expects to leave here about October 1, and drive to California.

Mr. Fife, who had taken about eighteen boys camping at the Red Deer River and given them such an interesting and instructive time could not refuse the girls when they asked to go. Consequently about twenty girls with Mosdenes Graham and Dalglish, as chaperones, went camping last week and had a splendid time.

Miss Patterson, has resigned her position at Desmond school and accepted a school in Calgary.

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Mrs. St. Pierre, was expecting her sister Miss Chantee and a friend, Mr. Graham, on Saturday train. They are expected to spend the week visiting with her.

Although the day was was rainy, five members assembled at Mr. H. Engle's for the regular W.I. meeting, on last Thursday.

Harold Hembrow and Ruth Marquardt, motored to Emma Hallman's, on Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chapman are modelling their house making it much larger and comfortable. Mr. Tribune is assisting them with the carpenter work.

Pat Goggin is assisting Mrs. Broderton with the cutting of their grain.

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